Town of Webster WEBSTER COUNCIL ON AGING Webster, MA 01570

MINUTES OF THE November 1, 2017 MEETING 10 A.M.

The meeting was called to order and Chair Joann Sadowski led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Attendance: Joann Sadowski, Ray Mullins,

Phyllis Romano, Rose Sylvestri, Elaine Gould and Helen Kesner. Also present was the Director Jean Travis

Minutes of the October 4 meeting were read. The director stated she disagreed with every part of the minutes. However, the minutes were unanimously accepted as read by the members.

Director's Report: Regular activities going well. Bingo had a record 53 attendees recently and a new card group has been started for Fridays. The Cracker Barrel breakfast trip was a success. Blood pressure and flu clinic were well attended. A Halloween party with Joe McKenna was enjoyed by many. There will be a Christmas party on December 11, cost is \$12. Several Fallon open enrollment meetings have been scheduled as this is the most popular medicare plan in the area. ADA had a presentation at the center. The director did rescind her apology to the knitters for not notifying them of the center closing the day of the picnic. She stated all members had signed up for the picnic. Helen reminded her that she herself has been a member of the group since its inception and did not sign up for this activity.

Old Business: Still no file for COA members to check their mail.

New Business: Letter from Tri Valley informing us about a meeting. Too late to attend now that we have the letter. Elaine stated that had we had a mail file we would have been able to attend. Discussion about communication with Emmet from the state's Council on Elder Affairs.

Discussion about sign up sheets and Panera Bread donations and how these activities are shared with the senior community.

New Business: Ray made a motion that the secretary have a key to all the records. No second. Matter was dropped.

Meeting adjourned. Next meeting will be December 6.